

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SHUMWAY ET AL.

Serial No.: **10/799,810**

Filed: **MARCH 12, 2004**

Title: **"SURFACTANT-FREE EMULSIONS AND
METHODS OF USE THEREOF"**

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Group Art Unit: **1712**

Examiner: **FIGUEROA, JOHN J.**

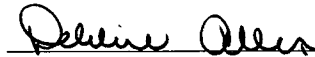
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 TO
NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED JUNE 15, 2006**

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 15, 2006 (the "Office Action"), Applicants submit the following:

- **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper; and
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.